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Stars Win First Game

Defeat Kahului By Score
of 6 to 0.

Perhaps the largest attendance that has ever witnessed a baseball game between local teams turned out last Sunday afternoon to witness the game between the Morning Stars and the Kahului, champions of last year's season.

The crowd anticipated a good game and the supporters of both teams were prepared to root for their favorites when the game began.

The grounds were in fine condition, in fact, in better condition than they have ever been. This was due to the efforts of Jailer Welch, who having secured the permission to use prison labor from the High Sheriff has done his utmost to make a perfect ball-ground out of Wells Park.

Supervisor T. B. Lyons has also assisted materially in the cleaning up and fixing the grounds and the officials of the Association feel much gratified with the support of these officials, who undoubtedly believe in helping good sport along.

Shortly after 3 p. m. Supervisor T. B. Lyons was escorted to the pitcher's box and threw the first ball over the plate, thus opening the season of the Maui Athletic Association league. Immediately Umpire Keohokalole yelled "play ball" and the game began in earnest. The game ended in a 6-0 score in favor of the Morning Stars.

The following is a summary of the game.

MORNING STARS.

ABR	BH	SB	PO	A	E
Bailey, ss.....	4	2	1	0	1
Kealoha, 3b.....	4	1	1	1	4
Walker, cf.....	3	2	0	2	0
Meyer, c.....	4	0	0	2	1
Hspinda, rf.....	4	0	2	0	1
Bal, 1b.....	4	0	0	13	2
Nowell, cf.....	4	0	1	0	0
Garcia, 2b.....	4	0	1	0	3
Upton, p.....	4	1	1	0	6
Totals.....	35	6	7	1	27

KAHULUIS.

ABR	BH	SB	PO	A	E
J. Clement, c.....	3	0	0	2	4
Arcia, lf.....	4	0	0	2	1
Morris, cf.....	3	0	1	2	1
Ayau, ss-p.....	2	0	0	4	5
E. Ah Nee, 1b.....	4	0	0	13	0
English, 3b.....	3	0	1	2	2
Chillingworth, 2b.....	3	0	0	1	1
Hattie, p.....	0	0	0	0	0
Smythe, rf.....	3	0	0	1	0
Decker, ss.....	2	0	1	1	3
Totals.....	27	0	3	37	14

SUMMARY.

Bases on balls—Off Upton, 4.
Sacrifice hits—Stars, 2; Kahului, 1.
Struck out—By Upton, 4; Hattie, 1; Ayau, 4.
Hit by pitcher—Walker, Morris and Time of game, 1 hour and 35 minutes.
Umpires—Keohokalole and Holland.
Scorer—G. B. Schrader.

The first game was played between two Japanese teams, the Kasgas and Yamatos, who with the Fugi comprise the Japanese league and will play the first game every Sunday beginning at about 1 o'clock or earlier. The game was easily won by the Kasgas by a score of 28 to 4. The class of ball played was poor, but the Japanese are taking quite an interest in the American national game and will in time play good ball.

Tomorrow's game will be played between the Kahului and the Healanis and will no doubt prove quite a stunner. The Healanis have quite an aggregation of hitters and should they connect with the sphere the fielders are going to have quite a time chasing the ball over the field. The Kahului are also hard at practice and do not propose to lose any more games if they can help it.

A large attendance of fans is expected and from the interest being now taken by the fans both sides will have a bunch of supporters.

Jackson Wins Trespass Suit

Jury Finds In Favor Of
Plaintiff.

A civil suit of considerable interest before the Circuit Court terminated Thursday morning and the plaintiff was given the land she claimed and Seven Hundred and fifty dollars damage.

The suit in question was one against the Wailuku Sugar Company for trespass and was closely fought out by Judge R. P. Quarles for the plaintiff and M. F. Prosser for the defendant company.

Attorney Prosser had left for Honolulu on Wednesday and Attorney D. H. Case appeared for the defendant and moved for a new trial on the ground of excessive damages and on the ground that the verdict was contrary to the law and the evidence.

Immediately after the verdict of the jury the Court thanked the jurymen for bringing in a verdict. He pointed out to the jury that in arriving at the amount of damages it was necessary for the jury to come to a compromise, and that it was their duty in such cases to do so. He said that none should agree to anything contrary to the dictates of his conscience, but that a miscarriage of justice is more frequently the result of a compromise.

Thursday was taken up in an attempt to get a jury in the Omaopio case.

Judge Quarles represented the defendants in this case and moved for a separate trial for Ma Fong and Solomon Kealoha from the other two. He filed affidavits setting forth reasons for his motion which was denied by the Court.

The jury is now being selected for the trial of the defendants in the case.

Easter Services Were Held In All Of The Churches.

The Wailuku churches celebrated Easter Sunday with full choral services.

At the Church of the Good Shepherd, Rev. Canon Ault held communion services at seven o'clock and at eleven o'clock.

The church was beautifully decorated and the building was over crowded. A great many persons from Wailuku, Kahului and Paunene were present and even some from up country were there.

The cash contributions for the day were over two thousand dollars, and this it is understood will be used for the building of the new church which was decided upon some months ago.

The Roman Catholic Church was beautifully decorated. The usual choral services for Easter were excellent.

The services at the Kaahumanu Church and at the Wailuku Union Church were excellent and the buildings were packed to their utmost capacity.

During the week the Wailuku Union Church had installed an Omega Acetylene gas plant. The plant is a twenty light power plant and made the church much

Devoured By A Shark

A Woman Loses Life Near
Panwela.

Last Saturday, the 10th Ah Kim, a young woman nineteen years of age, while gathering opihis along the rocky seashore at Panwela was swept away by the waves and devoured by sharks. Such is the story as related by Panwela people.

It seems that there were two women collecting opihis that afternoon, Ah Kim and a neighbor, but the latter being busily engaged lost sight of the former around a point of land and later supposed she had returned to her home.

On returning herself to the village she discovered that her recent companion was missing and a search was immediately instituted but no purpose. On Sunday morning another search was made and some of the party saw a large shark devour what appeared to be a portion of the body of the missing woman.

The police upon being notified investigated the matter but could find no trace of Ah Kim.

No coroner's jury being possible Deputy Sheriff Edgar Morton took the statements of various persons having knowledge of the sad affair.

Ah Kim was part Hawaiian and was the wife of Yum Ki Chong, a clerk in the Panwela store of Akiona.

On Easter Sunday the morning service at the Makawao Union Church of Paia was largely attended, every seat of the auditorium being filled.

The church was profusely decorated with beautiful calla lilies and and violets, and the music by the quartet. Mrs. Nicoll, Miss Mattison, Mr. Murdoch, and Mr. D. C. Lindsay, and by Maunaloa Seminary girls was especially fine.

Rev. E. B. Turner preached an interesting sermon appropriate to the occasion.

Miss Mattison, the music teacher of Maunaloa Seminary, has resigned her position to take effect the end of the June term.

By the Alameda of the 14th, Miss Rebecca Kiakona of Makawao sailed for San Francisco where she intends taking a three-year course in nursing at one of the hospitals.

The afternoon of the 13th, Martha Aiken, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Aiken of Puunani celebrated her sixth birthday by a children's party.

The Kula people are hoping that the proposed pipe-line is not merely a "pipe-dream." The residents of Waiokoa (Kula) and vicinity have only three or four months supply of water in storage.

Potatoes are selling on the fields in Kula at \$1.60 a bag and corn at the same price.

Weather: Dry recently but the rainfall of March in Makawao was the largest in several years.

more attractive. Acetylene is a most popular light in the islands, and is becoming more so as its merits become known. It is not only a most beautiful light, but gives off little heat which is a great advantage in a tropical climate.

The church was beautifully decorated with a profusion of Calla lilies and bamboo.

The Red Cross Society will meet Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at Judge Dole's chambers, to hear the report of the committee on tuberculosis, and acted upon the same.

Enterprising Legislators

Do Profitable Graft Business
Under Assumed Names.

Honolulu, April 13.—Certain honorable members of the House of Representatives are alleged to be involved in a petty graft that casts discredit upon the whole body until they are singled out by name so as to clear the other members from the taint of suspicion. Under assumed names, it is alleged, they have been increasing their earnings, by translating into Hawaiian bills introduced in the House in English.

This "graft," it is said, will be publicly exposed in the House by Representative Long unless some adjustment of the difficulty over the pay and perquisites of the stenographer is reached. At least, such is the startling threat that is being freely made in the lobby.

The number of useless and impracticable bills introduced in the Lower Chamber—bills that there was no possibility of passing, or of the Governor signing if they were passed—has for some time been a matter of comment among those who have kept track of House proceedings. No other reason for their being introduced being apparent, it was but charitable to attribute them to the foolishness or inexperience of certain of the House members. But it now appears, according to corridor conversation, that there may be ulterior motives behind the introduction of certain measures. The pay of a legislator is only \$400—considerably less than that received by most of the clerks, the Sergeant-at-Arms, and other House officials.

And so some of the honorable gentlemen, according to the member from the Fourth District, have been padding their allowance by doing some of the more remunerative work of translating. As under the law, they cannot draw two salaries from the Territory at the same time, they have been obliged to resort to the subterfuge of using assumed names to draw their pay for translating.

Long, it is stated, threatens that if there is any more talk of graft in the House, he will tell what he knows about this particular graft. Therefore certain of the honorable gentlemen who have been adding an honest penny now and then to their incomes, are supposed to be shaking in their shoes.

Long is said to have a list ready for use of those who have been thus "grafting."

Breckons Holds to His Office.

Washington, D. C., April 10.—Attorney General Wickersham has decided that there is no cause for calling for the resignation of District Attorney Breckons of Hawaii, and he will retain his office.

District Attorney Breckons, when seen this morning, said in part: "Yes; I have every reason to suppose that the news that I am retained in my position is correct. I had a private cable yesterday, which indicated that things were going that way. I now consider that I have been vindicated of the charges made by Mr. Thwing."

In answer to a question re private practice, Mr. Breckons remarked, "I shall do as I have been doing for some time; that is, I will take no criminal cases that are Territorial affairs. I have taken none for some time, and will go on as usual."

Mr. Breckons is being congratulated by everybody and feels that he has been absolutely vindicated.

DOCTORS TRUST BILL IS WITHDRAWN

Legislators Seem Slow in Graft Investigation--
Turkish Battleship Commander is Lynched--
Stromboli and Etna are Active.

(SPECIAL TO THE MAUI NEWS.)

Sugar 96 deg. test 3.92 Beets 10s. 4 1/2d.
HONOLULU, April 16.—The medical trust bill has been withdrawn and a substitute allowing osteopathy passed first reading.

Graft charges in the House are being investigated but there is nothing doing.

The Portuguese cruiser Vasco de Gama is expected here.

HONOLULU, April 16.—It is rumored that Senator Perkins of California will have the appointment of the judge of the Supreme Court of Hawaii.

CONTANTINOPLE, April 16.—Disorders are renewed. Apis Bey commander of a battleship has been lynched. The third army corps is loyal to the young turkish party and threaten to march on the capitol.

CHICAGO, April 16.—Wheat is 1.29 1/4 which is the highest since 1877. Bread will be advanced to seven cents per loaf.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Taft sent a special message to Congress today dealing with the Philippines and transmitting to Congress a bill designed to aid the islands in the American market.

Stone in the Senate introduced a bill today providing for free trade for the Philippines and a guarantee of independence to the islands in fifteen years.

PARIS, April 16.—Mount Etna and Stromboli are again in eruption and the inhabitants in the surrounding country are fleeing.

ROME, April 16.—Sixty bishops and 40,000 pilgrims are expected here on Sunday to witness the beatification of Joan of Arc.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—The appellate court has granted Louis Glass a new trial.

HONOLULU, April 15.—It is rumored that there will be a consolidation of the survey and land officer with Marston Campbell at the head with a salary of \$5,000 per annum.

Governor Frear nominated for commissioners of Public Instruction, W. Hyde, Rice, of Kauai, W. O. Aiken of Maui and J. T. Moir of Hawaii.

There is still graft talk in the House and the committee will investigate.

HONOLULU, April 15.—It is settled that Pratt will be nominated and confirmed as treasurer when he retires from the land office.

BALTIMORE, April 15.—The government has ordered seized the largest distillery in the state and eight thousand barrels of whiskey for dodging the law regulating substitution.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Culbertson has announced that the Democrats agree to support the income tax bill and to demand a substantial decrease in the tariff on the necessities of life.

VELARDINA, April 15.—Thirty people were killed here yesterday in a religious riot. Fourteen rioters were summarily executed.

MOMBASSA, April 15.—Forty deaths have occurred at Nanobi from small pox near a ranch where Roosevelt expects to stay while organizing an expedition.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 15.—Nexam Pasha, Minister of Justice has been killed and Riz Pasha has been wounded. The reform party has been temporarily overthrown and quiet restored.

HONOLULU, April 14.—Davies & Company have bought Ookala. It is rumored that share holders get \$24. per share. A 7000 ton crop is expected.

HONOLULU, April 14.—Hemenway has been confirmed as Attorney General. There is no chance for Campbell.

Holstein wins in the short hand row. The House lets the labor wages bill die. The Mutual Telephone Company and the Hawaiian Telegraph and Telephone Company have consolidated.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—Banonaca won at Emoryville at 50 to one shot.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 14.—A new cabinet has been installed. Rioting continues.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Johnson will fight Ketchell twenty rounds for the worlds championship at Colma October 12th.

HONOLULU, April 14.—The leprosy bill passed. The members of the House deny graft charges. The labor payroll bill has been vetoed by Governor Frear.

M. A. Silva leaves today for Portugal for laborers. It is reported that the Mutual Telephone Company will sell out to the Automatic Telephone Company.

The House will make investigation of gas and electric companies in the matter of overcharge and rebates. The Senate restores bacteriologist in the appropriation bill. The Hilonian will arrive at 10:30 this morning.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 14.—Yesterday mutinous troops made violent demonstrations against government buildings. Seventeen were killed. The resignations of the cabinet have been accepted. The Sultan has issued a proclamation pardoning the mutinous troops.